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SUBJECT: PRE-LIST REVIEW BILATERALS

REF: PARIS 24973

1. USDEL IS REQUESTED TO PUT TOGETHER RECOMMENDED SCHEDULE
FOR BILATERALS TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE FOLLOWING:

A) TIGHT HOTEL SITUATION IN PARIS BEFORE SEPTEMBER 25 AND
PROBABILITY THAT MOST OTHERS WOULD PREFER THAT ANY MEETINGS
IN PARIS TAKE PLACE SEPTEMBER 28-29 SUGGESTS THAT IT MIGHT
BE MORE PRACTICAL TO MEET WITH BRITISH IN LONDON EARLIER
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THAT WEEK;

B) THE BELGIAN QUESTION ABOUT THE U.S. PUTTING AN AD REF
CONDITION ON ITS PROPOSALS ILLUSTRATES THE TYPE OF ISSUE
WHICH COULD USEFULLY BE ADDRESSED DURING SUCH BILATERALS.

2. USDEL MAY RESPOND TO BELGIANS (AND OTHERS AS APPROPRIATE)

BY POINTING OUT:

A) THE U.S. HAS EXPLICITLY IDENTIFIED SEVERAL OF ITS PROPOSALS AS BEING ON AN AD REF BASIS BECAUSE OF UNCERTAINTY CONCERNING WHETHER OTHERS CAN AGREE TO CONTROL TECHNOLOGY RELATED TO THE DECONTROLLED PORTION OF THE PRODUCT SPECTRUM;

B) THE U.S. HAS NOT COMPLETED AN IDENTIFICATION OF ALL INSTANCES IN ITS OWN PROPOSALS WHERE THIS ISSUE MAY ARISE;

C) REACTION TO PROPOSALS FROM OTHER COUNTRIES WILL ALSO BE DEPENDENT IN PART ON THIS ISSUE;

D) MANY LIST REVIEW PROPOSALS FROM THE U.S. AND FROM OTHERS WOULD NOT RISE OR FALL ON THIS; BUT THE U.S. BELIEVES THAT IT IS A KEY ISSUE FOR THE FORTHCOMING REVIEW AND HOPES TO HAVE CONSTRUCTIVE CONVERSATIONS WITH OTHERS ON IT BEFORE THE LIST REVIEW SO THAT THE REVIEW CAN PROCEED ON AS REALISTIC A BASIS AS POSSIBLE. CHRISTOPHER

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